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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Examiner's Decision, in the Final Office Action dated June 5, 2001, finally rejecting claims 1, 2 and 4-15.

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- (4) ☒ An Oral Hearing is requested.

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